

New Colors and Combinations to Wear in the Sunny South

(By Morning Journal Special Leased Wire.)

New York, Jan. 5.—The big bazaar held at the Grand Central Palace was full of inspiration for everyone, for more reasons than one. Of course, the appeal of a bottle of milk for babies, or comfort for our own soldiers? Then, too, from the more worldly point of view of the woman interested in fashions, there was much to see. Aside from the costume of the represented countries, picturesque to the extreme, there were modern frocks and coats that deserved more than passing note. The thing that impressed one more than anything else was the simplicity of everything. Not a bit of trimming on the smart tailored suits, dresses or coats, except for the liberal use of fur on the more dressy coats and the wool trimmings that are considered so smart.

The whole thing was on so gigantic a scale that it required many visits to really appreciate it. The blaze of light, the quaintly colored booths and the costumes of the attendants presented a dazzling effect. Scattered everywhere, enjoying the fun with almost childish glee, were the soldiers and sailors, our own and those of our allies. Scotch kilts, tubed shoulders with gay Bohemian girls, and conservatively garbed America applauded.

The Question of Wool.
With this very cold weather comes the pressing question of wool. Of course we need winter coats, and the knitted scarfs and collars and cuffs fill long-felt wants. Whether we set aside all the wool for the use of the government or limit ourselves, remains to be seen. At any rate we are



A Smart Example of the Top-coat.

long as the days are bitterly cold, and snow is on the ground, let us stick to our winter hats. Another passing fad seems to be that of colored boots with cloth tops of contrasting shades. The black shoes with white or gray top and the deep mahogany with tan upper, are still considered in good taste, though there is a marked return of the all-black boot. White spats with patent leather pumps are appropriate only for afternoon or informal evening wear, and the all-white shoe is fast being consigned to its proper time of year, summer.

The Useful Top-coat.
Top-coats are so very practical that they have a place of their own in the wardrobe of the thoughtful woman. They may be worn with different dresses and also with the separate skirt and waist. The one illustrated here has ruffled sleeves and a wide belt. The material is a wool mixture.



The New Suit With Narrow Skirt.

all willing to co-operate with the government and only use what we really need. The day of a sweater for every costume is a thing of the past, and we will use what we have.

For Palm Beach and Other Southern Points.

Those who are planning the annual trip to Palm Beach, or who live in the sunny south, are interested just now in news of thin clothes, spring coats and suits, and sports costumes. Illustrated here is a suit of exceeding smartness. The loose, straight lines are particularly appropriate for the soft, loose weaves of the spring materials. The vest, with its deep rolling collar, is of chambray cloth, and the suit itself of a Copenhagen blue. The skirt has wide overlapping seams which can be left open at the bottom for more freedom in walking. The suit is equally smart, made without the vest, with a belt and deep patch pockets.

Color News and Notes.
If you would be considered modish, subdue your favorite reds and greens. Not to the point of fadedness, however; far from it! Simply soften them into bewilderingly beautiful shades. Soft gray-blue lavenders, ashes of roses, that old-time favorite, vistarina, and silver grays and lichen grays; of these are the color cards of fashion. If you desire a spice, add a dash of rosy orange or peacock blue, but the smartest costumes are usually of one tone, with the exception perhaps of the lining, which may be as gorgeous as you please. Wool embroideries and stitchings are used with effect, either in the same shade as the costume or in contrasting colors. The Chinese, Japanese and East Indian influence is plainly felt in the newest designs and

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Enjoy life! Your system is filled with an accumulation of bile and bowel poison which keeps you bilious, headachy, dizzy, tongue coated, breath bad and stomach sour—Why don't you get a 10-cent box of Cascarets at the drug store and feel better. Take Cascarets tonight and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. You'll wake up with a clear head, clean tongue, lively step, rosy skin and looking and feeling fit. Mothers can give a whole Cascaret to a sick, cross, bilious, feverish child any time—they are harmless—never gripe or sicken.

Clovis

Fully eight hundred members were added to the National Red Cross by the Curry county chapter in the recent drive which culminated in a national Red Cross victory. In this patriotic response to a great call, the city of Clovis furnished five hundred memberships, with three hundred more coming in from various parts of the county. Of the eight hundred reported, about seven hundred were new to the organization, the remainder being renewals.

In spite of the claims of other localities to the youngest recorded members of the Red Cross, Curry county chapter lays claim to such honors in the membership of Jean Elizabeth Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Beck of Melrose, born December 22, and made a member on December 24. Then it also offered Ernest, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cornett of Tabin, born December 22, and issued a membership in the Red Cross on December 25.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Seiler entertained the members of the Young People's class of the Methodist Sunday school Wednesday evening in honor of their sister and brother, Miss Florence M. Seiler and Prof. E. Stanley Seiler of Albuquerque, who spent the week at their home. The first part of the evening's entertainment was musical in character. Prof. Seiler, who is director of music of the state university and one of the leading musicians of the state, furnished a considerable part of it. Miss Skoog, local supervisor of music sang a number of Christmas songs delightfully. After a round of parlor games, "Hoovered" refreshments were served. Following are the guests: Misses Julia and Norma Baker, Everette, Warren, Skoog, DeBerry, Florence Seiler; Messrs. Johnson, Forb, Dennison, Sherrill, Eggen, Hinman, Seiler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nelson entertained with a 7 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Dennis, Mrs. H. D. Emmert, Miss Anne Hull, Mr. George Harshaw, Mr. J. R. Hull and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson.

M. Mandell of Albuquerque was a business visitor in Clovis Wednesday and Thursday, stopping at the home of his nephew, A. Mandell, of this city.

Mrs. Mary Lyons, who has been spending the past two months in Amarillo, returned home Monday. She was accompanied by her two sons, Phil and Jerry, who spent Christmas here.

Mrs. Williamson and daughter, Miss Fannie Williamson, of Portales spent Saturday in Clovis.

Miss Beatrice Fry, who has been attending the New Mexico Normal University at Las Vegas, is spending the holidays with her parents in Clovis.

Misses Irene Austin and Thelma Reagan left Wednesday for Fort Sumner, where they spent several days visiting relatives and friends. They were accompanied on their return by Miss Edith Reagan, who is teaching in the Fort Sumner high school.

Miss Maurine Rice, a student in the Texas Woman's college at Fort Worth, Tex., is spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Rice.

H. H. Elke, who has been traveling for the Radford Grocery company of Farwell, with headquarters and home in Clovis, has resumed his position with that company and will move soon to Las Vegas. He will travel for a wholesale grocery firm of that city.

Oscar Justus is planning to move to south Texas. Together with his father, Mr. Justus, has purchased a fine tract of irrigated land in the Brownsville country, which he will operate.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mersfelder of Field are visiting at the home of Mrs. S. E. Mersfelder.

Miss Margaret Sullivan of Amarillo spent the holiday season with the Misses Lyons of this city.

Clarence Crook, who has been employed with the E. P. & S. W. railroad at Tucuman, Ariz., arrived this week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Crook.

Miss May Borton, who for the past few years has been with the Clovis National bank here, left last week for Oklahoma, where she has accepted a bank position.

Miss Blanche Trower of Bellview, N. M., is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Trower. Miss Della Bailey has returned from Clarendon, Tex., where she has been studying music.

Rev. Ted P. Hollifield, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Clovis, spent several days in Roswell, his former home, during the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clary are spending the holidays in Clovis after an extended visit in Illinois and other northern states. Mr. Clary has accepted a position as pattern maker in the navy yards in the state of Washington, and they will leave for their new home shortly.

Miss Imogene Baird, a student in Valparaiso university at Valparaiso, Ind., is spending her mid-year's vacation with her parents.

made in all the large papers of the coast cities.

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How Many Pious People Make Grave Mistakes Regarding Bible Utterances

(By Charles S. MacFarland, General Secretary of Christ in America.)

A notable circle of Christian men have recently issued a prediction of the speedy end of the world. Their prophecy is based upon the striking of Jesus, to the bewilderment of Him, saying, Master, what sign will there be when these things shall come to pass? "And He said, When ye shall hear of wars and rumors of wars, be not terrified; for these things must first come to pass; but the end is not yet. "Nation shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom." "Ye shall see Jerusalem compassed with armies." "And there shall be upon the earth distress of nations."

men's hearts failing them for fear."

"And then shall they see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory."

The interpretation of these Christian men is precisely what many thought in Jesus' day. The coming of the Son of Man meant the end of the world. The facts of subsequent history showed that this was not what Jesus meant.

His prophecy was fulfilled; the Son of Man did come with power. His coming in that power was not, however, the sign of the end of the world. It was the beginning of a new life in the world.

History has repeated itself, and the world's struggles have been the travail of a new birth. Out of them, tried as by fire, has emerged a better and purer world.

"Think not that I came to bring peace on the earth; I came not to bring peace but a sword." There are two kinds of peace; that of outward similitude and that of inward reality. So, again, without any contradiction in His own mind, Jesus said in His last hours, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give unto you." But He added, "Not as the world giveth, give I unto you."

War brings out both the worst and the best in nations and in men; it is subject to the universal law of compensation. One who goes across the sea today comes back with mingled sadness and hope. He enters into the experience of the great psalmists. The same psalm consists of a dirge and an oratorio. There is a wonderful and apparently contradictory contrast in mood. They move on, with their alternating notes, from the extreme of despair to the height of faith, the sense of horror ever changing place with the sense of hope. There is unity among them in this, that their

residence in Silver.

Miss Farrar Perry has been visiting friends in Santa Rita.

Miss Julia Snyder left Tuesday for White Signal on an extended visit.

Miss Velma Herren is ill with pneumonia at her home west of this city.

Mrs. G. D. Fisher made a brief visit to La Junta, Colo., Saturday, returning home Sunday morning.

Miss Jule Henley came down from Lordsburg Saturday for a visit with relatives. She returned home the day after New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McSherry attended the cowboy reunion in Santa Rita.

Sergeant Carl Von Nyvenheim of the 13th Infantry, Camp Cody, has been granted a furlough and is visiting his parents, Captain and Mrs. Nyvenheim, at the state capitol.

Ralph Hernandez, of Camp Cody, is visiting his mother in the Duke city.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Altman are spending the holidays with Mrs. Altman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Duncan.

Miss Sadie Stuart is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stuart, in Las Cruces.

Miss Isabelle Phillips, who has been home for the holidays from the Loreto academy, Las Cruces, returned the latter part of this week.

Senor Juan E. Valdespino, notary public, received from the secretary of state the transfer of his commission from Las Cruces to Deming, last Saturday. Senor Valdespino is the only Spanish-American in the city.

Prof. J. S. Wright, instructor in the Hillsboro public schools, is spending the holiday season in Deming.

Mrs. Neils Larson and Miss Lillian returned to their home in Miami, Ariz., Monday of this week. They came down to spend Christmas with Mr. Larson, husband and father of the ladies.

Jay O'Leone of Columbus was a county seat visitor Wednesday.

C. C. Richardson of Hurley spent New Year's in the city.

Miss Edna May Coleman of Hillsboro spent Christmas in this city with her mother.

Rufus Rowan of Camp Cody spent Christmas with his parents at Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayless McKinney and children, who have been visiting with Mrs. McKinney's brother, Jim Busenback, recently.

Mrs. C. W. Waddington has moved to Silver.

Wednesday was business men's regular trading day, the New Year coming on the first.

Mrs. S. F. Edwin is down from Silver visiting in the family of her son.

Miss Zella Comer and mother visited in Silver last Thursday and were guests at the W. G. Beale's home.

Mrs. H. H. Osmer and children have been visiting with her sister, Mrs. F. O. Mossman.

G. F. Walck and family have moved here from Belem and will make Deming their home.

Old Mexico sent several representatives into the Columbus oil fields, in the south part of the county recently, and they report oil conditions excellent.

Rabbi Jacob Henry Landau of East Las Vegas, New Mexico, was in the city the first of the week in the interests of the Jewish board of welfare work.

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The officers of the Y. W. C. A. are as follows: Miss J. McKlin Beattie—Director. Miss Eula Turner—Director.

Miss Dorothy Giffillan—Hostess. Miss Bess Brown—Business director. Miss Dorothy Dean—Cafeteria director.

Mrs. A. B. Price—Matron Y. W. C. A. cottage.

READ THIS TO WILHELM. (Florus.)

An honest and prudent man will acknowledge that only to be a true victor which is obtained without violation of his good faith or blemish upon his honor.

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No pain or soreness! Corns and calluses just shrivel up and lift off—Try it!



A noted Cincinnati chemist discovered a new ether compound and called it freezeone and it now can be had in tiny bottles for a few cents from any drug store.

You simply apply a few drops of freezeone upon a tender corn or painful callus and instantly the soreness disappears, then shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can just lift it off with the fingers. Really! No humbug! No pain, not a bit of soreness, either when applying freezeone or afterwards and it doesn't even irritate the skin. Hard corns, soft corns or corns between the toes, also toughened calluses just shrivel up and lift off so easy. It is wonderful! Works like a charm. Keep it on the dresser.

one constant and unflinching message is, "Hope thou in God." They all end in the same last resort. It is a wonderfully vibrating, pulsating picture, full of dignity, breathing sincerity, alive with pathos, charged with the same solemnity, yet ever vibrant with unfailing and responding confidence, filled with the glow of realism, yet fuller still of a magnificent and glowing idealism, and these psalms are but the reflection of the varied and vividly contrasting moods of any seriously thoughtful man today.

Men have said, with easy-going flippancy, that the war means the failure of Christianity. Christ stands before Pilate. But it is not Christ before Pilate; it is Pilate before Christ, and if we listen we shall hear it again—"This is your hour and the

power of darkness; but ye shall see the Son of Man, coming with power."

Christian institutions have failed only insofar as they have failed to be Christian. It is not that their ideals have been found wanting; it is not that their message has been untrue; it is because they are human, and it is becoming clear to the leaders of the churches that they have faltered for much the same reason that the allied nations have failed up to this moment—because they have been wretchedly divided.

The most hopeful sign of our day and generation is that while at the immediate moment the powers of darkness seem to prevail, we may witness the steady, largely unseen, unification of righteousness.

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For the past several months nearly every item that we use in connection with the operation of our property for the generation of electricity and gas has increased to great proportions. Coal alone has cost us thousands of dollars more the past few months. We herewith give you our coal costs for the last six months of 1915, 1916, and 1917, so that you may see the increase.

1915	1916	1917
\$15,701.47	\$17,042.71	\$24,309.62

These figures include coal used for generating electricity only and do not include coal used for the making of gas.

Many light and power companies throughout the United States have been compelled to increase their rates. We have heretofore refrained from increasing our rates for light and power in the hopes that same could be avoided but we now find that the increased cost of fuel, labor and supplies has made such inroads into our operating revenue that it is necessary for us to add a surcharge of 1c per K. W. H. to partially offset the increase in the cost of coal; such charge to be effective while this increase in the cost of coal exists.

Beginning with the January billing it will be necessary for us to add this surcharge of 1c per K. W. H. for both light and power. This increase does not in any way absorb the entire cost of production but only a small portion thereof. We are not asking our customers to carry the entire burden but we do ask the indulgence of our consumers for the necessity of making this nominal charge which will in the aggregate tide over this Company during this period of excessive production costs. The conditions which make this course necessary are as much regretted by this Company as by anybody else; but of course the War and not the Company must be held responsible for these conditions.

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